## Congress of the United States

H.S. House of Representatives Committee on Small Business 2561 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515-6515

## NOTICE OF HYBRID HEARING September 29, 2021 10:00 A.M., Zoom/ 2360 Rayburn House Office Building

TO: Members, Subcommittee on Underserved, Agricultural, and Rural Development

FROM: Jared Golden, Chairman

DATE: Wednesday, September 22, 2021

The Committee on Small Business Subcommittee on Underserved, Agricultural, and Rural Development will hold a hybrid hearing titled: "Sustainable Forestry's Role in Climate Solutions." The hearing is scheduled to begin at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, September 29, 2021 in Room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building. Participating members can also join remotely via Zoom.

As the Federal Government considers options for infrastructure investments and ways to help mitigate and adapt to climate change, the forestry sector offers multiple avenues to address these goals while also promoting small business development in rural and underserved communities. Sustainable forest management can provide economic and social benefits to meet the needs of present and future generations and also play a fundamental role in the natural resource infrastructure of our nation. This hearing will allow members to learn more about the role of sustainable forestry and how small businesses across this sector are helping to address climate change.

A staff briefing will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Monday, September 27, 2021 through Zoom.

If you or your staff have questions, please contact Michael Stein, Counsel for the Committee.